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<b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		<b>Complete if Known</b>	
Effective on 12/08/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).		Application Number	10/649,865-Conf. #6370
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Filing Date	August 28, 2003
		First Named Inventor	Liat DE-VRIES
		Examiner Name	D. Fidei
		Art Unit	3728
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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims**    **Extra Claims**    **Fee (\$)**    **Fee Paid (\$)**    **Multiple Dependent Claims**

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**Indep. Claims**    **Extra Claims**    **Fee (\$)**    **Fee Paid (\$)**

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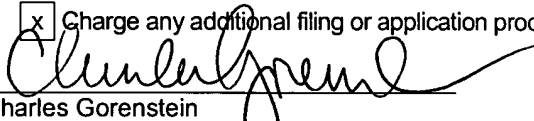
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 2786-0242P	
Application No. 10/649,865-Conf. #6370		Filing Date August 28, 2003		Examiner D. Fidei	
Art Unit 3728					
Applicant(s): Liat DE-VRIES					
Invention: TISSUE CONTAINER WITH AUXILIARY COMPARTMENT					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	36	- 44 =		x	
Independent Claims	4	- 3 =	1	x 200.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)				<input type="checkbox"/>	
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For: TISSUE CONTAINER WITH AUXILIARY  
COMPARTMENT

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 2, 2005, finally rejecting claims 31, 33-35, 48, 54-56 and 61, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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